

Table DP-1. Profile of General Demographic Characteristics for North Carolina: 1990

[For information on confidentiality protection, nonsampling error, and definitions, see source]

Subject	Number	Percent	Subject	Number	Percent
Total population.....	6,628,637	100.0	HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE ²		
SEX AND AGE			Total population.....	6,628,637	100.0
Male.....	3,214,290	48.5	Hispanic or Latino (of any race).....	76,726	1.2
Female.....	3,414,347	51.5	Mexican.....	32,670	0.5
			Puerto Rican.....	14,620	0.2
Under 5 years.....	458,955	6.9	Cuban.....	3,723	0.1
5 to 9 years.....	439,621	6.6	Other Hispanic or Latino.....	25,713	0.4
10 to 14 years.....	436,840	6.6	Not Hispanic or Latino.....	6,551,911	98.8
15 to 19 years.....	497,830	7.5	White.....	4,971,127	75.0
20 to 24 years.....	553,956	8.4			
25 to 34 years.....	1,143,875	17.3	RELATIONSHIP		
35 to 44 years.....	1,007,611	15.2	Total population.....	6,628,637	100.0
45 to 54 years.....	698,705	10.5	In households.....	6,404,167	96.6
55 to 59 years.....	295,739	4.5	Householder.....	2,517,026	38.0
60 to 64 years.....	291,164	4.4	Spouse.....	1,424,206	21.5
65 to 74 years.....	483,105	7.3	Child.....	1,937,748	29.2
75 to 84 years.....	251,267	3.8	Own child under 18 years.....	1,433,052	21.6
85 years and over.....	69,969	1.1	Other relatives.....	309,627	4.7
Median age (years).....	33.1	(X)	Under 18 years.....	140,077	2.1
18 years and over.....	5,022,488	75.8	Nonrelatives.....	215,560	3.3
Male.....	2,393,978	36.1	Unmarried partner ³	67,425	1.0
Female.....	2,628,510	39.7	In group quarters.....	224,470	3.4
21 years and over.....	4,674,142	70.5	Institutionalized population.....	83,400	1.3
62 years and over.....	979,424	14.8	Noninstitutionalized population.....	141,070	2.1
65 years and over.....	804,341	12.1			
Male.....	313,708	4.7	HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE		
Female.....	490,633	7.4	Total households.....	2,517,026	100.0
RACE ¹			Family households (families).....	1,812,053	72.0
One race ¹	6,628,637	100.0	With own children under 18 years.....	835,795	33.2
White.....	5,008,491	75.6	Married-couple family.....	1,424,206	56.6
Black or African American.....	1,456,323	22.0	With own children under 18 years.....	633,607	25.2
American Indian and Alaska Native.....	80,155	1.2	Female householder, no husband present.....	309,876	12.3
Asian.....	49,970	0.8	With own children under 18 years.....	168,554	6.7
Asian Indian.....	9,847	0.1	Nonfamily households.....	704,973	28.0
Chinese.....	8,859	0.1	Householder living alone.....	596,959	23.7
Filipino.....	5,332	0.1	Householder 65 years and over.....	226,384	9.0
Japanese.....	5,040	0.1			
Korean.....	7,267	0.1	Households with individuals under 18 years.....	921,516	36.6
Vietnamese.....	5,211	0.1	Households with individuals 65 years and over.....	577,813	23.0
Other Asian.....	8,414	0.1	Average household size.....	2.54	(X)
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander.....	2,196	-	Average family size.....	3.03	(X)
Native Hawaiian.....	963	-	HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Guamanian or Chamorro.....	636	-	Total housing units.....	2,818,193	100.0
Samoan.....	416	-	Occupied housing units.....	2,517,026	89.3
Other Pacific Islander.....	181	-	Vacant housing units.....	301,167	10.7
Some other race.....	31,502	0.5	For seasonal, recreational, or occasional use.....	98,714	3.5
Two or more races ¹	(NA)	(NA)	Homeowner vacancy rate (percent).....	1.8	(X)
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races: ¹			Rental vacancy rate (percent).....	9.2	(X)
White.....	(NA)	(NA)	HOUSING TENURE		
Black or African American.....	(NA)	(NA)	Occupied housing units.....	2,517,026	100.0
American Indian and Alaska Native.....	(NA)	(NA)	Owner-occupied housing units.....	1,711,817	68.0
Asian.....	(NA)	(NA)	Renter-occupied housing units.....	805,209	32.0
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander.....	(NA)	(NA)	Average household size of owner-occupied units.....	2.62	(X)
Some other race.....	(NA)	(NA)	Average household size of renter-occupied units.....	2.39	(X)

- Represents zero or rounds to zero. (X) Not applicable. (NA) Not available.

¹ Census 2000 terminology and categories are used for data on race. Because individuals could report only one race in the 1990 census and could report one or more races in Census 2000, data on race for 1990 and 2000 are not comparable. See "Population by Race and Hispanic or Latino Origin for the United States: 1990 to 2000," (PHC-T-1). At <www.census.gov>, select Population Tables/Reports, then select List of Tables.² Census 2000 terminology is used for ethnic categories. The corresponding term for "Hispanic or Latino" in the 1990 census was "Hispanic origin."³ Sample data on unmarried-partner households, as shown in U.S. Bureau of the Census, 1990 Census of Population, Social and Economic Characteristics (1990 CP-2), report series published 1993-1994.

Source: U.S. Bureau of the Census, 1990 Census of Population, General Population Characteristics(1990 CP-1), and 1990 Census of Housing, General Housing Characteristics (1990 CH-1), report series published 1992-1993; and Summary Tape File (STF) 1A, series released 1991.